

House Resolution No. 1947

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives acknowledge their solemn duty to posthumously recognize those Show-Me State residents who proved down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods through their civic-minded commitment to serving others; and

Whereas, Wayne Whitener of Marble Hill, Missouri, attained considerable distinction in the rental car business from which he retired as a manager with National Car Rental Company in 1995; and

Whereas, on April 19, 2008, Wayne Whitener will be granted an Honorary Award from the Bollinger County Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, Wayne Whitener returned to Bollinger County in 1996 and became active in numerous service venues, including the position of Bollinger County Associate Commission, the Patton Lions Club, VFW Post 5900, the City of Marble Hill Board of Aldermen, the Marble Hill Park Board, Marble Hill Food Pantry, Senior Center Meals on Wheels, the Bollinger County Chamber of Commerce, of which he was past president, Saint John Catholic Church in Leopold, and Knights of Columbus Council 5898, where he reached the 4th Degree; and

Whereas, Wayne Whitener was a military veteran who had served in the United States Air Force from January 1955 through November 1958; and

Whereas, Wayne Whitener is survived by his wife, Marilyn; children, Steven Wayne Whitener, Bradley Dale and Nancy Whitener, Paul Allen Whitener, Barbara June Whitlow, Roberta Jansen, Bobby and Kristi Jansen, Jackie and Ron Brown, Caroline and Tony Gemeinhardt, and Kim and Jim Sands; seventeen grandchildren; a great-grandchild; and siblings, Warren Whitener, Mary Johnson, Ida May Arnold, and Oweeta Kloessner; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative actions in order to acknowledge the passing away of such outstanding Missouri citizens as Wayne Whitener:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved posthumous recognition received by Wayne Whitener from the Bollinger County Chamber of Commerce; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Wayne Whitener of Marble Hill, Missouri.

Offered by Speaker Rod Jetton
District No. 156

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1947, adopted April 16, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker